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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

LENIER AYERS,  
  
                    Plaintiff,  
  
            v.  
  
HENRY RICHARDS, *et al*,  
  
                    Defendants.

Case No. C08-5390 BHS/KLS

ORDER STRIKING PLAINTIFF’S  
MOTION FOR INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

          This civil rights action has been referred to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L. Strombom pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Local MJR 3 and 4. Before the court is Plaintiff’s motion for injunctive relief in which Plaintiff seeks the appointment of a “postal inspector.” (Dkt. # 4). Plaintiff’s motion was filed at the time Plaintiff was granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* and prior to service of a complaint on Defendants. Accordingly, the court finds that motion should be stricken from the court’s docket until such time as it has been determined that Plaintiff may proceed *in forma pauperis*, the court has reviewed Plaintiff’s proposed complaint, and Defendants have been served.

          Accordingly, the Clerk of the Court is directed to **strike** Plaintiff’s motion to appoint postal inspector (Dkt.# 4) from the court’s docket. Plaintiff may file, serve and re-note the motion in accordance with the Rules governing filing and serving of motions after the court has ruled on his

1 application to proceed *in forma pauperis* and has considered his proposed complaint.

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3 DATED this 25th day of July, 2008.

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Karen L. Strombom  
United States Magistrate Judge

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